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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: ROLF SCHUMACHER
Serial No.: 09/296,276 Group Art Unit: 1732
Filed: APRIL 22, 1999 Examiner: E. LEE
Title: COVERING OR TRIM PART AND A PROCESS AND SYSTEM FOR
MANUFACTURING SAME

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR § 1.114 of the above-identified application.

1. Submission required under 37 CFR § 1.114

- a. ☒ Previously submitted
- i. ☒ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 CFR 1.116 previously filed on January 14, 2003 (and attached hereto in new format).
- ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on _
- iii. ☐ Other _
- b. ☒ Enclosed
- i. ☒ Amendment/Reply
- ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
- iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
- iv. ☐ Other

2. Miscellaneous


- a. ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 CFR 1.103(c) for a period of _ months (not to exceed three months). The required fee under 37 CFR 1.17(i) is included in Section 3. a. iii. below.
- b. ☐ Other

3. Fees

- a. ☒ The following fees are included in the payment indicated below:
- i. ☒ RCE fee required under 37 CFR 1.17(e) (\$750.00)
 - ii. ☐ Extension of time fee required under 37 CFR 1.136 & 1.17
 - iii. ☐ Other _
- b. ☒ Payment:
- i. ☒ A check in the amount of \$750.00 is enclosed
 - ii. ☐ The Director is hereby authorized to charge the fees listed above in Section 3 a i-iii to the Deposit Account of Crowell & Moring, L.L.P., Account No. 05-1323 (Docket No. *)
 - iii. ☒ If a check should become detached or if there is any deficiency in fees, any necessary fees should be charged, or any overpayment in fees should be credited, to the Deposit Account of Crowell & Moring, L.L.P., Account No. 05-1323 (Docket No. 225/47721).

Respectfully submitted,

February 14, 2003



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AFTER-FINAL REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116

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Sir:

The reply supplements the reply filed on January 14, 2003. The following amendments and remarks are respectfully proposed in response to the Advisory Action dated February 10, 2003, in order to put the claims in condition for allowance and in better form for appeal. A Petition under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), for a three-month extension of time, is also submitted herewith (along with the requisite fees).